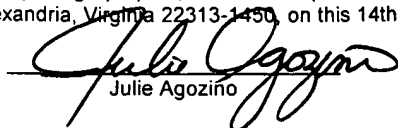




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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed December 13, 2004, entry of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested:

- ☒ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of the Claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page ____ of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.
- ☒ **Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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